

106TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 4524

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 23, 2000

Mr. SMITH of Michigan introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. ELIGIBILITY FOR NONRECOURSE MARKETING**
2 **ASSISTANCE LOANS AND LOAN DEFICIENCY**
3 **PAYMENTS.**

4 (a) ELIGIBLE PRODUCTION.—Section 131(b) of the
5 Agricultural Market Transition Act (7 U.S.C. 7231(b)) is
6 amended to read as follows:

7 “(b) ELIGIBLE PRODUCTION.—Any production of a
8 loan commodity shall be eligible for a marketing assistance
9 loan under subsection (a).”.

10 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Section 131 of the
11 Agricultural Market Transition Act (7 U.S.C. 7231) is
12 amended by striking subsection (d).

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